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Deposits for Hospital Go Over \$5,000

MEMBERSHIPS MAY BE BOUGHT ON INSTALLMENT PLAN AS CONVENIENCE OF SOME

About all that needs to be said this week about the Hamlin Memorial Hospital Association is that men and women are now asking for membership blanks to sign up as charter members at the \$50 rate for building the hospital. The plan of getting a hospital for Hamlin is well known by now and there is little use for further talk.

There may be a few points, yet, not well understood, and the names of persons listed from week to week will be an increasing source for getting full information.

Here Are Additional Names

Byron O. Bell, ex-soldier and auto store; Bonnie Bingham, barber; J. M. Bowdry, farmer; H. E. Brown, farmer-dairy; Paul Bryan, lumber; A. B. Carlton, farmer; O. L. Cohorn, farmer; Garland Coltharp, grocer; Bryant Conner, theatre operator; R. A. Dillard, farmer; W. B. Dobbins, trucker; Mrs. B. S. Ferguson, theatre; John D. Ferguson, farmer-ginner; Thomas Ferguson, farmer-stockman; W. W. Fletcher, farmer; Mrs. Maggie M. George; R. L. Goodgame, farmer; Lennie Greenway, bank cashier; Roscoe Greenway, farmer; Jack Hindman, ex-soldier and cafe; J. W. Hines, farmer; Tom F. Holman, city councilman and farmer; A. Hudson, service station; John Hudson, farmer; Alvin C. Hudson, ex-sergeant; M. T. Hudson, service station; J. S. Inzer, farmer-stockman; Dudley Lewis, farmer; W. F. Lasseter, railroad; Mrs. S. D. McMahon, jewelry; Y. A. McNeill, grain; Curtis Martin, poultry farm; I. W. Middleton, service station; L. V. Miller, garage and repair; R. D. Moore, farmer-stockman; Mrs. Gerald Morgan, insurance; John M. O'Neil, clerk; Oscar B. Nelson; La Foy Patterson, farmer and insurance; O. D. Roland, oil distributor; Brad Rowland, postal clerk; D. D. Shelburne, contractor; A. Spencer, lumber; Lovel D. Stell, ex-sergeant; Mrs. Ada Terrell, farmer; Jennings B. Terrell, grocer (Mr. Terrell has made the first request to furnish a room as a memorial); Gus Travis, oil field; John C. Turner, insurance; W. V. Walton, farmer; Otto F. Welch, city water department; Earl Whaley, farmer; E. J. Whaley, farmer;

Bank Deposits Exceed \$5,000

Bank deposits to date are as follows:

February 1	\$1,500.00
February 2	\$1,000.00
February 11	\$1,015.00
February 13	\$1,490.00
Total to date	\$5,005.00

The question has come to us: "Can I start my family membership on the installment plan?" Yes, and that means your pledge to put up your final \$50 membership, but the final payment must be in by the time a contract is let for the building.

The main point to keep in mind is that this is a tried and proven plan for a community to have a hospital so as to give "families of moderate income ample doctors' services and hospital facilities, when needed, at a cost they can afford to pay." (Keep this quotation in mind.) The more families in the Association the bigger and better the service.

We desire to thank La Foy Patterson, who volunteered to solicit memberships, and he did a grand job by bringing in about 18 or more. This is a big job, and plenty of blanks can be had at the F. & M. National Bank, or from Mr. Patterson, D. M. White real estate office, Bryant-Link, Chamber of Commerce, J. B. Terrell Grocery, and F. B. Moore Grain Store.

RED CROSS LEADER



Here is Starr Inzer, Hamlin chairman for the Annual Red Cross Membership drive, which opens here March 1. Hamlin's quota in the forthcoming campaign has been set at \$1,300.

MAGIC SHOW WILL PROVIDE UNIFORMS FUNDS FOR H. H. S.

Sponsored by Hamlin High School Athletic Club, Hardini, the sensational magician and his all-star company, will be presented in the high school auditorium Tuesday evening, February 19.

The evening of entertainment, magic and fun will get underway at 7:30 o'clock.

In addition to Hardini, added attractions will be Robert Mason and Reggie, Hollywood ventriloquist and hypnotist—direct from Paramount Pictures Corporation.

There will be, for Hamlin area folks, Azra—the floating lady—seeing through fingertips blindfolded and amputation of a boy's head or a bloodless operation.

Admission prices will be 25 cents and 50 cents, it was stated this week.

Proceeds from the sale of tickets to the magic show, school officials state, will be used for purchasing uniforms for football boys of Hamlin High School and the grade school teams.

Pied Pipers End Season In Third District Place

Hamlin's Pied Pipers closed their District 5A basketball season Saturday evening by thumping Rule, 38-26, in an intensely interesting game here.

Coach Red Howard's Pipers finished the season in third place district standing.

Hamlin's scoring was led by Brad Rowland, who made 16 points, Doyle Dean grabbed 13 while Mitchell of Rule made 11.

The Hamlin "B" team won, 17-11, with Billy Franks leading the scoring with eight points.

Hamlin Schools Given \$2,793 Per Capita Aid

Hamlin School is receiving warrants totaling \$2,793 in the \$3 per capita school aid payment.

Dr. L. A. Woods of Austin, state superintendent of public instruction, announces release of warrants representing a \$3 per capita apportionment.

With the current payment, a total of \$14 has been paid of the annual \$30 apportionment on the 1945-1946 school term.

John C. Hix at Home With Army Discharge

Sergeant John C. Hix arrived on Tuesday from Fort Bliss with an honorable discharge from service.

Sergeant Hix was in the Army Air Forces two and one-half years as an airplane mechanic. His wife has resided here for the past several months. They will make their home here.

Election Called to Vote \$125,000 Bond Issue for Building New Grammar School

LEASING IN HAMLIN AREA HITS HIGHEST MARK IN HISTORY; NORTH FIELD LOOMS

Leasing in the Hamlin area and in Jones County is proceeding at the highest mark in history, and a number of leases are being taken for drilling blocks and protection that will keep Jones County activities at a high tide mark for several months.

Interest is being focused this week to a new spot in the county—an area nine miles northeast of Hamlin—where a block of 2,000 acres is being assembled for Iron Mountain Oil Company of Oklahoma City.

Exploration of the new 3,500 foot pay in the old Noodle field of Jones County was continued this week with one new application filed and completion nearing on another well in the area.

The new application was filed by Humble Oil and Refining Company for the No. 7 Mrs. Rozilla Graves, 476 feet from the north and west lines of section 41 block 18 T & P survey.

An east offset to the same operators' No. 1 Riley Horton, which is producing from the lower pay, the well is less than 330 feet from production on the lease, but is exempt from spacing regulations because of the deeper horizon.

Due for completion this week is the Onyx Refining Company No. 1 Winters, which is drilling below 3,220 feet on a deepening job from the regular field pay where it failed to find production last year. It is 330 feet from the northeast corner

NOTED PROFESSOR TO SPEAK TUESDAY AT CC BANQUET

Professor Algonquin Winterbottom of Indianapolis, Indiana, is scheduled to be the main speaker for the annual membership banquet, Hamlin Chamber of Commerce, to be staged next Tuesday evening at the Methodist Church.

Professor Winterbottom holds a PhD and BS degrees, and is noted as an after-dinner speaker.

Eight o'clock has been named as the starting hour for the CC convale.

Tickets for the occasion are on sale at the Chamber of Commerce office.

Next Tuesday evening's banquet will be the first CC membership gathering in four years here. Basement of the Methodist Church has been selected as site for the evening of social fellowship and gaiety.

Neva Ruth Morrow Is New Grades Teacher

Miss Neva Ruth Morrow of Rotan has been added to Hamlin's Elementary School faculty as a second grade teacher, The Herald learned this week.

Miss Morrow replaces Mrs. Whitefield. Miss Morrow has been working toward her degree as a student in Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.

George Jackson Enlists For Service in Marines

George L. Jackson, 17, Hamlin youth, has enlisted in the U. S. Marine Corps for two years and is now undergoing his recruit training at San Diego, California.

George was enlisted Saturday at Abilene, and immediately was transferred to the West Coast to begin his career in the corps.

Jackson is the son of Mrs. Nina Havins of Hamlin. He graduated from San Marcos Military Academy and was attending John Tarleton Agricultural College at Stephenville.

of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 40 block 18 T & P survey.

Application for a new wildcat five miles southeast of Anson has been filed by Alder Oil Company on the No. 1 J. J. Steele, a 3,000 foot cable test 330 feet from the east and 990 from the south line of the northwest quarter of section 6 block 2, T & N O survey.

North of the Wimberly field, official gauge was being completed on the Crown Central Petroleum Company No. 1 J. R. Daniell, second producer in the new Gunsight lime pool.

Preliminary reports said the well was flowing eight barrels per hour through quarter inch choke after treatment with 1,000 gallons of acid at 2,575-76 feet. It is located 330 feet from the south and west lines of lot 5 J. Winters survey 138.

Final completion was also being made on the Rhode Drilling Company et al No. 2 Swan which was flowing by heads after three perforation zones in the Saddle Creek line. Perforations were made by 20 shots from 2,720-29 feet, 25 shots from 2,697-719 feet, and 10 shots from 2,678-82 feet.

The well had tested the Ellenberger and rechecked several horizons as it plugged back. It offsets the same operators' No. 1 Swan which was originally scheduled as a deep test but completed as a producer in the Saddle Creek.

Location is 4,303 feet from the north and 175 feet from the west lines of I. Miley Survey.

In the Neinda area, Frank Buttram of Oklahoma City No. 1 Taylor in the center of the southeast 20 acres of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of the south half of the southwest quarter of subdivision 4 Goliad County school land, bailed four barrels per hour from 2,895-905 feet after treatment with 3,000 gallons of acid in two stages. The Ellenberger cable test, 10 miles northeast of Abilene, Mantex Oil Company No. 1 J. E. Monley, was drilling below 1,600 feet after reducing to 12-inch hole.

FFA BOYS SPONSOR DRIVE TO INSPECT FOR BANG'S DISEASE

Dr. Leroy Chapman, a licensed veterinarian, assisted by the Hamlin Future Farmers of America, will begin a Bang's testing campaign of milk cows in the Hamlin area. Blood testing to start Tuesday, February 19.

In an attempt to improve milk cows and promote safety of milk which people use, the Hamlin vocational agriculture department encourages and offers to help people of this area get milk cows blood tested. If cows are grouped five or more to a pen, Dr. Chapman states that he will do the Bang's testing for 75 cents per head.

Hamlin FFA boys will be glad to take the names of owners and number of cows to be tested and organize and assist in every way in getting this work done. Those wishing to take advantage of this opportunity should contact a Hamlin FFA boy or T. C. Blankinship at Hamlin High School.

New Methodist Church Parsonage Being Built

Delma Shelburne is busy this week building a new Methodist parsonage in Hamlin.

Shelburne is engaged in construction of several projects, and is one of those fellows on "the job early and late."

HOMELESS AGED

It was suggested Tuesday noon at the Hamlin Lions Club that someone in Hamlin volunteer to build a brand new home for the town's bats.

When Hamlin's new school building is erected, the thousands of bats occupying the ancient house now standing will need a home and at least a few comforts of existence.

Most of the bats in the present building are aged creatures, and to turn them "out in the cold, cruel world" would indeed be torture, it was stated.

HAMLIN RED CROSS DRIVE QUOTA TO BE \$1,300 THIS YEAR

Starr Inzer has been named chairman for Hamlin's Annual Red Cross membership campaign, which will open here March 1.

Hamlin has been assessed a quota of \$1,300, compared with goal of \$3,300 in 1945.

J. L. Hill is county RC chairman. Jones County RC goal has been set at \$8,000. In 1945 Jones County was given quota of \$19,000 and raised \$22,000.

Fred Craig, field representative of the American Red Cross of St. Louis, Missouri, was here Tuesday with County Chairman Hill.

Jones County, it is pointed out, will keep half of the funds raised in the Red Cross membership drive. War needs are less, now, but home service needs are indeed greater now, Red Cross officials report.

Club Show Will Post Prize List of \$200 Cash

Attention of Hamlin area people is directed to the Hamlin FFA and 4-H Club Livestock Show, which will be staged here March 1 with prize list of \$200.

J. S. Inzer is general superintendent of the forthcoming show, and states a grand total of 92 entries have been received in the show's four divisions.

John D. Ferguson is superintendent of the dry-lot classes; L. H. McBride, superintendent for fat hogs; Le Foy Patterson, superintendent for fat lamb class; and H. E. Brown is superintendent for class of registered Jersey heifers.

Oregon Evangelist Will Lead Children's Revival

Evangelist Marjorie Arndt of Portland, Oregon, will conduct a five-day children's revival at the Foursquare Church beginning Monday, February 25, church officials announce. Services will be held from 4:30 p. m. to 5:30 p. m. each day.

Evangelist Arndt is especially interested in children from nine to 15 years of age, however, all children are invited. Messages will be vividly illustrated.

The Foursquare Church is located at Sixth and Alamo Streets.

Stamford to Host Area Club Boy Show Mar. 2

Prizes totaling \$204.50 have been posted by the Stamford Chamber of Commerce to be awarded club boys of a six-county area in a Club Boys' Livestock Show, scheduled at Stamford Saturday, March 2, Manager A. C. Bishop advises The Herald.

Calves, steers and hogs will be shown in the exhibit. Boys of the Hamlin area who are showing their stock here next Friday are urged to carry their animals right on over to Stamford for the Saturday show.

NO NEW TAX TO BE REQUIRED IN LEVY

Saturday, February 23, has been named the date for Hamlin's \$125,000 bond issue election, purpose of which will be to vote said amount of bonds to give Hamlin a modern Grammar School structure.

Present valuation of Hamlin's Independent School District, The Herald learns, is \$1,957,000. Present tax rate is \$1.50 on the \$100 property valuation—50 cents for maintenance and \$1 for bond retirement purposes.

The new bond issue, as Hamlin people understand, proposes to reduce the tax rate to \$1.25 on the \$100 property valuation—50 cents for maintenance and 75 cents for bond retirement purposes. Refunding of old bonds would be provided for in the set-up and new bonds added.

Hamlin can utilize all materials possible out of the old school building. Plans call for even using the old building site.

Present plans call for laying a foundation east of the present building, next to the street, then utilizing the old site for a school playground.

Old school structure was built in 1906 as the entire plant for the town and additions made later.

New plans before citizens call for a modern and adequate plant for Hamlin Schools.

Analysis of the proposed \$125,000 bond issue reveals that the bonds will bear three and one-half per cent interest. In 1947, for instance, total annual payment on the issue would be \$5,357.50. Total of all annual payments, old and new bonds, would be \$12,477.50.

Average annual debt service payment would be \$12,871.20, it is stated.

Highest annual requirement, 1975, would be \$13,572.50.

A safe program would be, it is pointed out, to raise the valuation in Hamlin Independent School District to \$2,200,000. Debt tax of 75 cents produces a levy of \$16,500; and 80 per cent of tax collections produces \$13,200.

For a period of 11 years, 1934-1944, lowest tax collections were 84.02 per cent.

Hamlin Woman Injured In Car Crash at Ranger

Mrs. Jean Hamilton Boling of Hamlin suffered severe head lacerations and possibly a broken leg last Tuesday night in a highway collision, 24 miles east of Ranger, which took the life of an ex-serviceman and seriously injured two others.

Mrs. Boling is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hamilton of Hamlin.

Dead was Richard Cluck of Tulsa, Oklahoma. John A. Dismang, also of Tulsa, was hurt only slightly, while Captain Ormond F. Fochtman of Virginia received a broken leg and other injuries.

In the car with Mrs. Boling was Homer Burleson of Temple, Oklahoma, who sustained severe head and other injuries.

James F. Woods Gets Discharge From Navy

James Fred Woods, coxswain, U. S. Navy, of Route 4, Hamlin, this week received his honorable service discharge from the Navy Separation Center at Norman, Oklahoma.

Woods served 29 months in the Pacific Theatre of Operations. His last duty station was at Receiving Barracks, Portland, Oregon.

Chaplain to Preach Sunday.

Chaplain Boyce Deviggins will preach Sunday and Sunday night at the First Baptist Church of Hamlin.



WOMEN

IN THE

NEWS



Verna Mae Sipe, Bride-Elect, Honored at Tea

On Friday evening, February 8, Verna Mae Sipe, bride-elect of Bunyan Payne, was honored at a seated gift tea in the home of Mrs. Joe McCrary.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. McCrary and presented to Miss Sipe, the bride's mother and Mrs. Payne. Pauline Garrett directed the guests to the gift display, and Maggie Mae Seymore had charge of the bride's book. Guests were then directed to the dining room, and Mrs. G. R. Bennett had charge of the seating.

The dining table was laid with a hand-made lace cloth. The centerpiece was made of white stock and fern in a white crystal bowl and a miniature bride and groom.

Mrs. Hackley presided at the tea service.

Program consisted of a reading by Betty Jane Barry and several selections by Mrs. Joe McCrary.

Those assisting with the tea were Mrs. Mary Farrow, Mrs. W. H. Gilbert, Louise Daniels and Mrs. L. H. McBride.

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Methodist Comrades Class Meets Thursday

The Comrades Class of the Methodist Church met at the home of Mrs. J. Kent Jones Thursday evening. A business meeting was held for the purpose of electing new officers.

Mrs. Albert Chandler was elected president and Mrs. Pat Marlow, vice president.

At the close of the meeting, refreshments were served to Mes. E. M. Wilson, teacher; John D. Ferguson, M. F. Wilson, J. D. Raney, John F. Green, Jr., Landon V. Davis, Jr., Alvin Hudson, Albert Chandlers and the hostess.

McCaulley Seated Tea Honors Mrs. Galloway

Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church of McCaulley hosted a seated tea in the home of Mrs. Rufus Herbst last Thursday afternoon honoring Mrs. Albert Galloway.

Pot plants adorned the entertaining rooms. The lace-laid table featured a centerpiece of red nandina berries and foliage with red begonia and green barbery flanked on an oval mirror reflector with a miniature deer in the center.

Mrs. Hallie R. McFatter greeted guests and introduced them to those in the receiving line, who were Mrs. Herbst, Mrs. Albert Galloway Jr., Mrs. C. E. Dick, mother of the bride, and Mrs. Albert Galloway Sr., mother of the groom.

Ruby Hennington presided at the register.

Gifts were presented in the form of a collect telegram, which read: "Boxes have been forwarded to this address for you. After inspection if not satisfied return to owners. Sign-

NEW HERALD GIRL



New society editor and office girl at The Herald office is Beryle Jo Travis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Travis of Hamlin. Beryle Jo has been attending Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene. The Herald publisher and Beryle Jo will appreciate cooperation of people of Hamlin area in helping to make Your Home Town Paper newsy.

Methodist Women to Study Africa Missions

Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet Monday afternoon at the Hamlin Methodist Church at 8:00 o'clock. Subject for the meeting will be "Missions in Africa." Society officials urge all women of the church to attend.

ed Friends of Sleepy Hollow, telephone 4014."

A monogrammed recipe book containing guests' favorite recipes, was also presented the honoree. Mrs. R. B. Tanner read a poem.

Refreshment plate, consisting of white individual cakes topped with red hearts, white and red mints, oriental tea, was served to 57 guests. Favors were tiny cellophane bags of rice tied with white satin ribbons.

Mrs. Will F. Davison said the good-byes.

Hazel Turner Weds Army Man Thursday

Seaburn Turner is this week announcing the marriage of his daughter, Hazel, last Thursday in Fort Worth to Private First Class Floyd F. Smith.

The couple was united in marriage at the home of Hazel's sister, Mrs. McLendon.

The bride has been working for a telephone company in Fort Worth, and the groom is home on a 30-day furlough.

Private Smith has been in the Army 15 months. Attached to an artillery unit, Smith has been in a hospital most of the time for treatment of burns.

Camp Fire Girls Host Area Meeting Monday

Monday evening at 7:00 o'clock the Camp Fire Girls of Hamlin were hosts to the council members of each town and area executives from Haskell, Stamford, Rochester and Aspermont.

After assembling at the high school building, a dinner was served in the school cafeteria. Pastor E. L. Yeats of Hamlin Methodist Church gave the invocation.

Mrs. Loren Griffin's group of girls served the meal.

After the supper everyone was invited into the auditorium by President Mrs. J. A. Harden of the Hamlin Council, where a program was rendered. Superintendent of Haskell Schools Scott discussed "Why Have Camp Fire Girls?" Principal points of Scott's address were "What our girls are, our boys become" and how to build the right character.

A skit was given by Mrs. L. B. Maberry's group of girls, including Vannie Huling, Jo Ann Johnson, Barbara Turner and Donna Gale Miller. Their skit was entitled "The Meaning of Camp Fire."

Judge Couch of Hamlin introduced the speaker of the evening, Ann Mollar, field executive from Wichita Falls. Her subject was "Duties and Obligations of Council and Area Members."

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Women Urged to Help in Auxiliary

Help of women of World War II families to carry on the work of the American Legion Auxiliary for World War II veterans is needed by the Hamlin unit of the Auxiliary. Mrs. Earl Brown, chairman, stated Monday evening in the regular meeting of the Auxiliary.

Subject of the entire meeting was an intensive membership campaign. The Hamlin unit is now inviting into its membership all wives, sisters and daughters of World War II veterans who have joined the American Legion; those of persons who died in the service; and women who themselves are veterans of the war. Any new members who have joined this unit since January 1 will be honored Monday evening when the Auxiliary and American Legion will have a covered dish luncheon at the hall. All old and new members are urged to be present.

Mrs. Brown declared: "Now that the war is over, these groups that spring up during the war are disbanding. Not so with the American Legion Auxiliary. Twenty-five years of service to casualties of war have

Hortense Phenix Makes McMurry Sorority

Hortense Phenix was elected last week to serve a pledgeship in the Gamma Sigma social organization on the McMurry College campus at Abilene.

Miss Phenix is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Phenix. She is a sophomore, majoring in public school music. She is a member of F.T.A., W.A.A. and McMurry Chanters.

taught us that our responsibilities increase as our men come home or fail to return. With the help of World War II families who are coming into our organization we are able to expand our rehabilitation program to include them all. Why not join a worthy organization and help carry on a good work? Anyone who wishes to join this unit may see Pearl Hudson, chairman of the membership committee."

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IS YOUR FAMILY HOSPITAL-SURE?

There will be a lot of consolation for the people of the Hamlin area—when the Hamlin Memorial Hospital is built—to know that ample, efficient and low cost hospital facilities are available right here at home when some member of their family becomes suddenly ill or is seriously injured and requires hospitalization immediately. That is just one of the numerous reasons for citizens of this section to rally to the movement now underway to build the Hamlin Hospital.

Hamlin Memorial Hospital Association directors say that response to the membership drive thus far has been splendid. Is your family's membership one of those that has been turned in to one of the directors? Make sure of your family's hospital future by arranging for your membership NOW—so actual building of the much-needed institution can be started at the earliest possible time. Don't wait for some one to see you—use the coupon below and mail it TODAY!

The Hospital Plan

THE BUILDING AND EQUIPMENT

Each family may pay a \$50.00 fee for a Life Time Membership in the Hamlin Memorial Hospital Association. From this source the hospital will be built and equipped. All member families in the Hospital Association will enjoy many extra advantages in costs at the Hospital, including unlimited attention of doctors on the staff, medical supplies, nursing care and room costs, all averaging in most cases about one-half what is usually paid in private hospitals. Non-member persons would be admitted with charges as in private hospitals.

THE DOCTORS' SERVICE

To receive the fullest benefits the member families will be privileged to provide for doctors' attention in the Hospital by paying a small annual fee at the beginning of each fiscal year. (This phase will not be called for until the Hospital is opened for service). The medical fees used in other hospitals of this nature are as follows: One person in family, \$12; two, \$18; three, \$22; four, \$25. Any dependent would be about \$6. These reasonable amounts pay for all doctors may need to do for each and all members of the family for one full year. This is a great saving and advantage in many ways to members. Non-member persons would be served as in any private hospital, at the customary prices.

HOSPITAL CONTROLLED BY DIRECTORS

The charter for the Hamlin Memorial Hospital has named in it nine directors to serve the first year of the Association, after which the membership, in their annual meeting, will elect them (three each year). The directors represent the people in all matters, as to funds, property and making policies for operating the Hospital.

The directors will secure the services of a competent privileged to recommend additional doctors and such medical doctor who will be chief of staff. He will be medical help as he deems best to give full and complete service.

NO RISK TO RUN

The Hospital is to be built on a CASH basis and operated on a cash basis, unless it be in an unusual emergency case.

Subscribe Your Family's Membership in the Hamlin Memorial Hospital Today...

Fill out the application blank below, pin your check to it, and hand it or mail it to any member of the Board of Directors, or to

BOWEN POPE, Secretary-Manager,
Box QQ, Hamlin, Texas.

Hamlin, Texas, _____ 1946

TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS: I hereby make application for membership in the Hamlin Memorial Hospital Association, Hamlin, Texas. I agree to abide by the By-Laws of the Association and the rules and regulations of the Board of Directors.

I understand that my Medical Service dues are a protection against future sickness; therefore, I agree to avail my family of this plan, when the Hospital is open for service.

I hereby tender the Hospital Association the \$50.00 membership fee, condition that I may withdraw same at any time before the contract for the first building is let.

My family consists of:

Husband _____ Wife _____

Unmarried Children : _____

Dependents: _____

Check
Signed by _____

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NEW HOMES ARE ON THE WAY

President Truman has at least made a good start in America's acute housing shortage by recommending that we construct a "bed rock" minimum of 1,000,000 new, moderate priced homes this year and the same number in 1947.

First, before we consider our housing situation too seriously, we must bear in mind the fact that materials are still not available to jar loose and construct new homes on every other street corner. Then, we must take into consideration the fact that we yet have a shortage of skilled carpenters and workmen, and will need more workmen before we can do remodeling and building on a major scale.

There is some consolation in the fact that some new houses are on the way—in the sense that appropriate machinery is being set up to insure them—and we can only look forward to a better, richer day when families will not be crowded up in one and two-rooms, and when we can take all the deep breaths we want to—without fear of breathing in the other fellow's part of the house.

WAR RELIEF BEGINS WITH PRODUCTION

It became clearly evident this week to the most impartial observer overseas relief, must shape some type of a proposed food program for overseas relief, must shape some type of a sensible, down-to-earth plan.

With the sceptre of starvation emerging through the mists of Europe, and do so in a way that will be fair to the American farmer.

There was considerable thunder in Congress this week over the proposal to utilize a "darker bread" program here at home. England tried such an experiment and it did not work in the British Isles at all.

With the sceptre of starvation emerging through the mists of Europe, we wonder what became just a few short months ago of the talk that America had such a wheat surplus farmers could rest from their labors a year or two at least—if they so wished?

Truth of the matter is that the United States, during these tremendous days of World War II reconstruction, will need every ton of wheat, meat, canned goods and fruits produced to feed America and our fellow-men abroad, and we might as well roll up our sleeves for the big job ahead. We need a full speed ahead production program in America, on both farm and ranch, and quit pulling our clothes off about dark bread programs and penalizing Americans in order that Europe may eat.

NEW MILK LAWS ARE IMPRACTICAL

According to the new regulations governing milking of cows and sale of sweet cream in Texas, we evidently elected a lot of representatives and senators to represent us who do not know what the meaning of the word farm is.

With settlement of cigar smoke in ante rooms of our Texas Legislature, we think we can ascertain just a few simple facts from the new cream marketing instructions.

The Legislature seems to think everyone who has one or more cows should: Have all milk cows in screened buildings, and never milk when a calf is near; the milk man should wash the cow's udder and dry same before milking; wash his (or her) hands after milking each animal; and see that hygiene prevails (in capital letters) for each drop of milk that falls in a pail. After farmers understand all the new regulations they will see, unfortunately, that the lawmakers in their haste forget to say that a red ribbon must be tied around the neck of each animal and face powder dusted under each ear.

We seem to think such cleanliness is essential to Texas health. If we go this far, we might as well condemn the thousands of rusted, unsanitary cans that go into butter and cheese plants and get at the root of our real trouble. We are not fighting now, and this talk about metals being too critical to make new cream cans, milk pails and other containers is just a plain untruth—if not pure bull.

WHAT CONTEMPORARIES ARE SAYING

WITHOUT PRECEDENT

A serious situation confronts the American people. It consists not merely of the steel strike and its widespread effect on other industries and on the public generally. This, to be sure, is serious beyond exaggeration. But far more serious is the palpable fact that the steel strike was called practically with the blessing of the President of the United States. The events leading up to this extraordinary situation were skillfully managed and were given the most innocent appearance. The procedure was presented to the public as an effort to prevent the strike. Nevertheless, its net result was that the immense prestige of the office of the President of the United States was added to the efforts of the union leaders to coerce the steel companies. When the steel companies refused to be coerced in this manner, the union leaders, with the enhanced strength of the President's approval of their position, ordered the strike to proceed. This, we say, presents one of the most serious situations in this country's whole history.

No precedent for the course which President Truman and his advisers have followed in this whole crisis exists in all our history. And there is no warrant in law or in the spirit of the American Government for the position he has taken. For on the very eve of the strike, he not only gave it his tacit approval by approving the position of the union, but he also expressed approval of the continued strike of the auto workers. It is important that the people shall understand this. These are serious times and they call for plain speech in expressing the truth. Regardless of whether the President had been informed beforehand of the reception his proposal would receive from the steel companies on the one hand and from the union on the other, he is not so simple or so innocent not to have anticipated it. —The Texas Weekly.

"Love one another as I have loved you." No estrangemnt, no emulation, no deceit, enters into the heart that loves as Jesus loved. It is a false sense of love that, like the summer brook, soon gets dry.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Divine love is a sacred flower, which in its early bud is happiness, and in its full bloom is heaven.—Eleanor L. Hervey.

Sylvester School Bond Fund in Fine Condition

Sylvester School has refinanced a grand total of \$38,500 in bonds and the school is now on a cash basis and in good financial shape, school officials informed The Herald this week.

School bonds, Series 1941, were re-financed at four ¼ and four ½ per cent. In 1943 they were refunded by R. A. Underwood & Company of Dallas at four and three per cent.

Poor tax collections, it will be recalled, in bad years caused bonds to be defaulted, but all school finances are now in good shape—due principally to good management.

W. O. Swindall, Sylvester, superintendent, reports school work is progressing on schedule and enrollment at a good level.

Albany Lions Complete Season in Haskell Win

Albany's Lions downed Haskell, 27-11, in a final game of the District 5A, eastern half, season, at Albany Friday. It was the second victory for Albany.

John Herod, with eight points, led the victors. Halftime score was 14-7.

The Albany "B" team won, 19-13. The Lions wind up their season in the Scranton tournament next week.

Roses cut in the afternoon have a life expectancy ten hours greater than those cut in the morning.

Whatta life the moth must live—summer in a fur coat, winter in a bathing suit.

Never Mind the Change.

Those who have seen the freedom with which American troops spend money will enjoy this story from India.

An American, having hired a tonga for a distance the ordinary fare for which would be half a rupee, magnanimously handed the driver a 50-rupee note.

The man shook his head violently and demanded 60.

"No," said the American, "that's enough. I shan't pay any more."

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You met her in St. Louis. She made your heart ticktock in "The Clock." Now she'll put your hair in curls in "The Harvey Girls." Who-o-o? Nobody but Judy Garland. Never such a song for Judy to sing as "On the Atchison, Topeka and The Santa Fe." Never such a part for Judy to play. She carries coffee—sings songs. She curbs crime. She rates romance—and she hog-ties her hero as the lights go up.



Winningest cast of the West:

Along with Judy you get Ho-Man JOHN HODIAK.

PRESTON FOSTER as the vicious villain.

Find-of-the-year ANGELA LANSBURY.

RAY BOLGER with the frisky feet.

Dead Pan VIRGINIA O'BRIEN.

Those comical cutups, MARJORIE MAIN and CHILL WILLS.

And KENNY BAKER, back in pictures, fresh from Broadway and radio successes.

But that's not all.

You get seven singable songs by JOHNNY MERCER and HARRY WARREN, including that Hit of Hits, "On the Atchison, Topeka and The Santa Fe."

You get direction and production by MGM's famous George Sidney and Arthur Freed. And all in Technicolor.

Historically "The Harvey Girls" grew up with Santa Fe. Our railroad and their eating houses pushed through the Southwest and West when towns were scarce, times were tough, and a Colt's 45 was a man's standard equipment. Today, the 70-year-old Fred Harvey company—which has been under the management of the same Harvey family for three generations—operates Santa Fe dining cars and the Fred Harvey hotels and restaurants located along the railroad.

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The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for office in Jones County, subject to action of the Democratic primary election on Saturday, July 27, 1946:

For Congress, 17th District:
WILLIAM W. BLANTON

For Clerk of District Court:
LEON THURMAN

For County Judge:
JOEL V. GRIMES

For Sheriff of Jones County:
BILL DUNWODY

For County Treasurer:
BILL ARMSTRONG

For County Clerk:
MRS. OMA SPRABERRY

For County Tax Assessor-Collector:
WEAVER BAUCUM

For County Attorney:
GEORGE P. HUDSON

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
G. R. RIDDLE

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for office in Fisher County, subject to action of the Democratic primary election on July 27, 1946:

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
W. H. (HOSS) BARTON

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
E. C. WALDROP
D. I. (IKE) WEST

Leon Thurman Makes Announcement to Run For District Clerk Job

To the Voters of Jones County:

I wish to take this medium to announce my candidacy for the office of District Clerk of Jones County. I have lived in Jones County almost all my life.

I graduated from Anson High School in 1934 and attended Hardin-Simmons and ACC at Abilene.

I worked in the Jones County AAA Office for two years up until the time I enlisted in the Army Air Forces in January 1942. After receiving my discharge, I have returned and am making Jones County my home.

I thoroughly realize the responsibilities of the office I am seeking and if elected I will devote my every effort to serve you in the most efficient and sincere manner possible. I will cooperate with all county, district and state officials in the efficient execution of the duties of the district clerk's office of our county.

I will try to see each voter personally, but in case I do not, I am asking each of you to consider this announcement as a personal solicitation for your support, and if elected I will render the most efficient and courteous service possible.

—Leon Thurman.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Ammons and Clark and Betty Gaynell of Bridgeport visited last week with the Harold Bonners.

Joel V. Grimes Enters Running For County Judge of Jones County

To the citizens of Jones County I wish to make the following statement:

As a child I came with my parents to Jones County in late 1905. Have resided here since and expect to finish life's brief day as a citizen of your commonwealth.

When but a youth I resigned a rural route in your county as a regular carrier and enrolled in the old Polytechnic College at Fort Worth preparatory to entering the ministry. I later became pastor of the church of my childhood and continued in that connection 22 years. I have held other pastorates in my home county, the last being at Calvary Church in Stamford. I hold in my heart a sacred reverence for the church and its ministry, but I was never dedicated utterly to the doing of the one thing—rather I have again and again compromised with myself on the idea of trying just to be a good citizen of my community.

Through the long suffering of the good people of Precinct No. 2 I was permitted to represent them on the Commissioners Court from 1934 to 1944, inclusive. At the expiration of that time I chose to relinquish the office, and the records will show that my precinct was in good shape financially and physically. Through that extended tenure of service I was fortunate to work under the capable leadership of Omar Burleson and Gilbert Smith. Having had the opportunity to observe and absorb, I should have become conversant with the duties, conduct and procedures of the office to which I aspire. As a commissioner I devoted considerable time and effort helping to liquidate much of the county's indebtedness while holding to a low tax rate.

In my personal affairs I have been reasonably successful. I am a taxpayer by both choice and privilege, and if elected would advocate rigid economy in the administration of the county's finances.

As to the matter of probate I wish to go on record as having the highest respect for the legal profession, but many counties are succeeding under the leadership of laymen. To this task I pledge my faithful best.

It shall be my plan and purpose to try to contact each qualified voter, but should I miss seeing you, please be assured that I shall both want and appreciate your support.

Respectfully—Joel V. Grimes.

Weaver Baucum Runs For Assessor-Collector

Weaver Baucum, who lives nine miles west of Anson, this week authorizes The Herald to announce his candidacy for tax assessor-collector of Jones County.

Mr. Baucum has resided in Jones County a number of years, and says his formal statement will follow later.

Burt Dean, incumbent, will not be a candidate for reelection.

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John Lee Smith Throws Hat in Governor Race

Lieutenant Governor John Lee Smith of Austin this week announces his candidacy for governor on a 12-point program including advocacy of job preferences for veterans, opposition to a closed shop and advocacy of enactment of a labor relations code.

Smith, whose home is at Throckmorton, is a veteran of World War I, active in church, lodge and American Legion work. He came to the state senate in 1940 after serving as county judge of Throckmorton County. He was superintendent of Haskell Schools and served with the department of education.

ELECTION NOTICE

The State of Texas, County of Jones, Hamlin Independent School District. To the legally qualified resident electors of Hamlin Independent School District, owning taxable property in said district and who have duly rendered the same for taxation:

Take notice that an election will be held within said Hamlin Independent School District on the 23rd day of February, 1946, at the places and on the proposition more fully set forth in the resolution adopted by the Board of Trustees calling said election, substantially as follows, to-wit:

RESOLUTION

Calling an election on the proposition of the issuance of one hundred twenty-five thousand (\$125,000.00) dollars school house bonds and the levy of a tax in payment thereof.

Whereas, there has been presented for the consideration of the Board a petition signed by Tate May and 33 other persons praying that an election be held on the proposition of the issuance of one hundred twenty-five thousand (\$125,000.00) dollars school house bonds, for the purpose of the purchase, construction, repair or equipment of public free school buildings within said District and the purchase of the necessary sites therefor, and the levy of a tax in payment thereof; and

Whereas, it appears the satisfaction of the Board of Trustees and the Board of Trustees officially finds that said petition is signed by at least 20 resident, qualified electors who own taxable property in the School District, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation; and

Whereas, it appears that the petition conforms to the law in all respects; and

Whereas, the indebtedness of Hamlin Independent School District is in excess of 6 per cent of the assessed valuation of said District; and

Whereas, there is located within said District a school building, which has been condemned by the Board of Trustees of this District upon the recommendation of a certified licensed architect; and

Whereas, Chapter 203 passed by the Forty-Seventh Legislature is applicable to this District;

Whereas, it is imperative that a new school building be constructed for use instead of the building which has been condemned;

Therefore, be it resolved by the Board of Trustees of Hamlin Independent School District:

PROPOSITION

Shall the Board of Trustees of Hamlin Independent School District be authorized to issue the bonds of said School District in the amount of \$125,000.00, to become due and payable serially as follows: \$1,000.00, 1947 to 1972, both inclusive; \$10,000.00, 1973 to 1974, both inclusive; \$11,000.00, 1975 to 1978, both inclusive; \$12,000.00, 1979; \$13,000.00, 1980; \$10,000.00, 1981; bearing interest at a rate not to exceed four (4%) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of the purchase, construction, repair and equipment of public free school buildings within said District and the purchase of the necessary sites therefor, and whether there shall be annually levied and collected on all of the taxable property in said School District for the current year and annually thereafter while said bonds or any of them are outstanding, at tax of seventy-five (75c) cents on the one hundred dollar valuation of taxable property, or so much thereof as will be sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and to pay the principal thereof as the same becomes due.

2.—The polling place of said election shall be at the High School Building within said Hamlin Independent School District, with the following election officers: J. D. Ferguson, presiding judge; Joe Culbertson, judge; Mrs. C. C. Prater, clerk; Mrs. J. B. Eakin, clerk.

3.—The ballots of said election shall have written or printed thereon the following:

For the issuance of bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof. Against the issuance of bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof.

Each voter shall mark out with black ink or black pencil one of the above expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his vote on the proposition.

4.—None but legally qualified electors of this State and of the School District and who own taxable property in the School District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation shall be entitled to vote at said election.

5.—That a copy of this resolution, signed by the president of the Board of Trustees and attested by the secretary of the Board of Trustees shall serve as proper notice of said election.

Said notice shall be posted by the secretary at three public places within said School District, one of which shall be at the voting place in said district hereinabove designated, which posting shall be done at least 10 days prior to the date fixed for said election.

6.—Immediately after said election has been held the officers holding the same shall make return of the result thereof to the Board of Trustees of said Hamlin Independent School District and shall return the ballot box to the secretary of the said board for safekeeping.

7.—The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the provisions of Chapter 13 of Title 49, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, including Article 2785, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, and pertinent amendments thereto, including Chapter 476, Acts of the Second Called Session of the Forty-Fourth Legislature, and Chapter 203, passed at the Regular Session of the Forty-Seventh Legislature of the State of Texas.

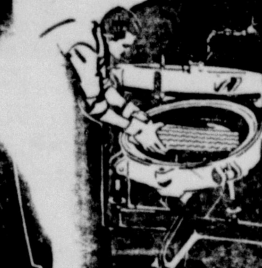
Adopted and approved this 8th day of February, 1946—H. J. Toler, President, Board of Trustees, Hamlin Independent School District.

Attest: A. Spencer, Secretary, Board of Trustees, Hamlin Independent School District.

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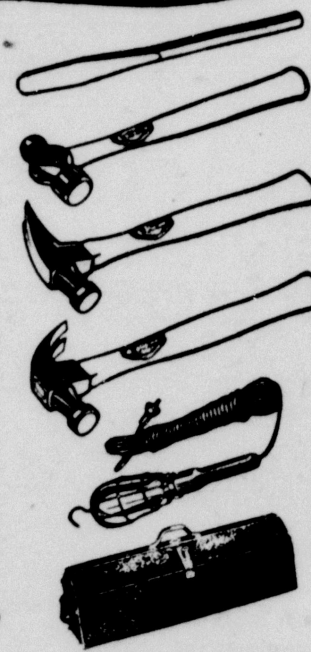
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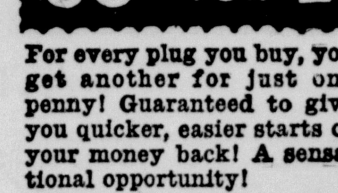


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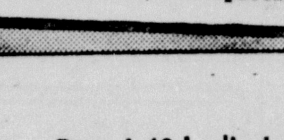


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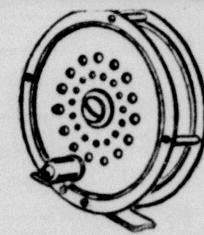
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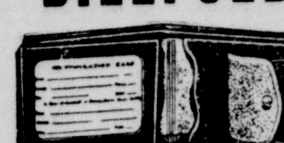
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STATEMENT SOON WILL CLARIFY 1946 CEILING ON COTTON

Hamlin and Jones County farmers are advised, through members of a special congressional committee from cotton states, that the OPA will soon issue a "clarifying statement" on possibility of ceiling prices on the 1946 cotton crop.

Concluding conferences with OPA representatives, Rep. Whittington (D-Miss.) chairman of the 19-man house group, says the OPA statement would make these points:

State officially that a proposed schedule of cotton ceilings, issued by OPA, represents the lowest ceilings which would be considered and which, Whittington said, "may be considerably raised."

Emphasize that there has been no final decision that ceilings will be necessary and express the hope that they will not be imposed.

Bill Harbert, a student at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, spent last week-end at home with his mother, Mrs. Lola Harbert.

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Francis Leon Martin, Former Engineer on H. & N. W., Passes

Francis Leon Martin, formerly chief engineer of the Hamlin & Northwestern Railway, passed away at his home in Chillicothe the afternoon of February 3. Mr. Martin had been confined to his bed for the past eight months due to a stroke of paralysis.

Martin had made his home at the Gravel Pit community for the past 10 or 15 years and his many friends regret the passing of such a good and generous friend.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church of Chillicothe with Rev. Posie in charge. Burial was in the local cemetery at 2:00 o'clock February 5.

Martin is survived by his widow, two sons and one daughter. The children were unable to be present for their father's funeral.

McCaulley Methodist Circuit

McCaulley Methodist Church—Sunday School each Sunday at 10:00 a. m. Preaching second and fourth Sundays at 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.

Neinda Methodist Church—Sunday School each Sunday at 10:00 a. m. Preaching services first Sundays at 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.

Boyd Chapel Methodist Church—Preaching each third Sunday at 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.—W. F. Richardson, Pastor.

VFW HAMLIN POST POST ENROLLS 59 CHARTER MEMBERS

Hamlin post of Veterans of Foreign Wars was founded with 59 charter members Friday night in a program directed by John H. Owens, deputy chief of staff of the Department of Texas, and Bruce M. Francis, both of Abilene. Joe Bryan, Abilene Veterans Administration official, was a visitor.

The following officers were given the oath of office: Lewis C. Yates, commander; Fred B. Moore, Jr., senior vice commander; Bayard A. Shaffer, junior vice commander; William Arlie Cassle, quartermaster; Lesley B. Shelburne, chaplain; and Delbert L. Kite, service officer.

Other members to date include: Martin Barnett, Robert Y. Barrow, Will R. Calhoun, Joseph F. Carrabino, Benjamin H. Dillard, Robert E. Dobbins, Charles W. Durham, Vernon L. Ely, Charles C. Gardner, Howard R. Greenway, Washington M. Herring, John V. Howard, Alvin C. Hudson, Weldon J. Hudson, James O. Huling, Newell D. Johnson, Washington M. Kelley, Jesse M. Kelly, Norman W. Lasseter, James T. Miller, William M. Millorn, Melvin V. Neil, Gilbert B. Phenix;

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The following membership committee was appointed: Ben Townley, chairman; D. W. Stell, William M. Millorn, James O. Huling, Harold D. Wheat, D. Goodyear, William H. Burnett, and James T. Miller.

"We want every eligible man in our organization now," stated Commander Yates. Contact the men above or any member. This is your organization; don't wait to be asked.

J. P. Bingham Jr. Joins Army Air Force Group

J. P. Bingham, Jr., of Hamlin, reenlisted at the Abilene Army Recruiting office this week to serve for a period of three years in the Army Air Forces. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bingham.

Bingham is a veteran Army man with nine years previous service and was discharged as a warrant officer November 17, 1945. He attended Hamlin High School prior to enlisting in the Army in July 1936. During Bingham's Army career, most of his service was spent in supply and it was in that type that he was promoted from staff sergeant to warrant officer.

Bingham is being reenlisted in the grade of master sergeant under existing Army regulations which state that any officer or warrant officer may reenlist in the Regular Army as a first grader within 90 days after their release from the service.

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Bits of News About Your Friends

George Malouf left Monday for Dallas and Fort Worth on business.

Donald Ray Wright of Sundown visited Bill Harbert last week-end at Hamlin.

A. L. Hudson Jr. of Fort Worth, who is connected with the American Airlines, visited his mother, Mrs. O. S. Hunter, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Teague and mother, Mrs. Perry Fite, spent Sunday at Cisco with Mrs. Teague's father and Mrs. Fite's husband, Perry Fite, who is ill in the Graham Hospital.

Anna Margart McBride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. McBride, has been in the Rotan Hospital for the past week suffering with a throat infection. She is said to be recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ed Morrison of Brownwood are parents of a daughter, born Friday, February 8. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Morrison of Hamlin and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. of Paducah.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins and Mrs. Oscar Jenkins of Hobbs, New Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Richardson of Sundown visited their mother, Mrs. Lola Harbert, and sisters, Mrs. Odom and Mrs. Weldon Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Buringoud of St. Ansgar, Iowa, announce the arrival of a baby daughter, Tommie Jo. She was born Saturday, February 9. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wells of Hamlin and Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Buringoud of St. Ansgar.

Mrs. Gus Travis and son-in-law, Charles Brewer, and children, Jerry Lavern and Charles Lynn, spent last week-end in Gainesville and Nocona visiting with friends and relatives. Brewer, who was recently discharged from the Navy, will resume his work with Continental Oil Company at McCamey. His wife, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Travis, has been residing at their home awaiting his discharge.

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HERRON KILLED IN ROAD ACCIDENT IN GERMANY OCT. 30

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Herron of Golan Community have received the first details of the death of their son, Private First Class J. F. Herron, who died October 30, in Germany.

Young Herron sustained head injuries and probably a brain hemorrhage caused death. Details follow: Private First Class Floyd Davis, a cousin of Private Herron, who was also stationed in Germany, visited Herron's company and learned that he, his company commander, and another man were returning from an early morning deer hunt in a jeep when they met a truck on a double curve on a mountainside. Lieutenant James Chappell, the commander, who was driving the jeep, pulled over to the side and put on his brakes which threw the machine sideways. As the jeep started over the cliff, he cut back sharply, but the vehicle turned over, throwing the men out. All three landed side by side in the road. The lieutenant said that they all arose and Private Herron walked to the truck. They carried him to the hospital where he died five hours later.

J. F. Herron was born in Sylveston in 1925, and was a member of the Golan Baptist Church. He had been in service a year, and in Germany since June.

In his last letter to his family, he wrote that he had been deer hunting and that his party had bagged two deer on one trip. He said he wished his father was there to go with them. This letter was written October 28, 1945.

In Lieutenant Chappell's letter to Mrs. Herron, he wrote, in part: "Your son was the most-liked and the best soldier in all the company. And it is with no small sorrow that we, his comrades, mourn his passing. Your son left this earth with his job to his country and comrades well done."

Private Herron is the third son from the Golan community to lose his life in this war. The first, Sergeant Harold McClung, who lost his life on a mission over Italy in January, 1944, was a cousin of Private Herron. Both boys were grandsons of Frank Jeffrey, pioneer citizen of Golan.

The other boy who was killed was Delmar Davis, who died in Germany this year. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton C. Davis.

City Park New Project For Anson Area Folks

Plans were completed this week for the operation of the Anson City Park, Hamlin area people are advised.

Plans approved include one of the largest swimming pools in West Texas, a well planned golf course and picnic grounds with concrete tables scattered throughout the area under shade trees.

The project will be under the joint supervision of the City of Anson, the Chamber of Commerce, and the Anson Golf Club. The golf club has recently been organized with Oran A. Dean as president and Roy Propst, secretary.

According to Everett Beaver, secretary of the Anson Chamber of Commerce, plans for the operation of the park call for the full time employment of a man and wife.

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Haskell Garage Man Killed in Accidental Discharge of Pistol

Accidental discharge of a .45 caliber pistol Friday afternoon in Haskell, dropped by Police Chief J. H. Ivy, fatally wounded Albert B. Pittman, 36, Haskell garage mechanic who was known here by a number of people.

Ivy was playing with A. B. Pittman, Jr., young son of the victim, while Pittman was working on an automobile. The officer bent over and the gun dropped from his shoulder holster and discharged. The bullet struck Pittman in the left thigh and ranged upward to lodge in his spine.

Pittman died about two hours after the accident in the Haskell hospital.

Surviving are the widow, three sons, A. B. Jr., Reginald and Michael; two daughters, Paula and Verna Lee; the parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Pittman of Haskell; two brothers, Roy of Haskell and Herman of Los Angeles; and two sisters, Mrs. O. K. McClintock and Mrs. J. E. Zimmerman of Abilene.

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LIONS HEAR PLANS FOR SCHOOL BOND ELECTION TUESDAY

High School Principal McLaughlin announced at Tuesday noon's Lions Club luncheon plans to raise funds for both the high school and grade school members of Hamlin's Pied Piper football squads.

With the school's Athletic Club as sponsor, Hardini, the magician, will be presented in Hamlin High School auditorium next Tuesday evening.

H. S. Carter announced, at the club luncheon, that Hamlin's Annual Chamber of Commerce membership banquet would be staged next Tuesday evening at the Methodist Church.

Superintendent I. R. Huchingson of Hamlin School talked on the projected plan to build a new school plant for Hamlin.

It is hoped, Huchingson pointed

out, that the new plant will be erected by the opening of the 1946-1947 school term here.

A. Spencer was in the chair Tuesday in absence of the club president, Art Carmichael.

Club guests were Bob Whittaker and M. A. Johnson of Leuders.

Osteens Fly Here to Funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Osteen flew in Mr. Osteen's plane from here to Chillicothe to attend the funeral of Mrs. Osteen's former fellow employee, F. L. Martin. They left Hamlin the afternoon of February 4 and returned home via Vernon, where they visited in the main offices of the Hamlin Sand & Gravel Company.

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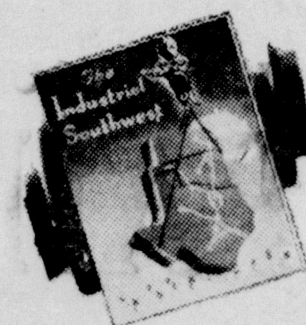


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COMMANDER YATES EXPLAINS WHO MAY JOIN VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS POST

Lewis C. Yates, commander of Hamlin's Veterans of Foreign Wars Post, recently organized, offers the following explanation of who is eligible to join the organization:

The government of the United States recognizes, by the award of a campaign medal or badge, armed service "on foreign soil or in hostile waters." Men eligible for such award may belong to the VFW.

The VFW Constitution and its

Congressional charter provide that "any officer or any honorably discharged officer, or enlisted man, who has served or may serve in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the United States of America, in any foreign war, insurrection or expedition—which service shall be governed by the issuance of a campaign badge by the United States of America—shall be eligible to active membership."

This eligibility qualification distinguishes the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States from all other veteran organizations, past or present. Because of it, the VFW will continue to be an "evergreen" organization so long as it is necessary to "preserve and defend the United States from all her enemies whomsoever."

It is thus that the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States today includes veterans of the Spanish-American War, the Chinese Boxer Rebellion, The Philippine Insurrection, the Cuban Pacification, World War I, and various armed campaigns and expeditions such as the Haitian campaign of 1919-1920; the Yangtze River campaigns of 1926-1927 and 1930-1932; the Nicaraguan campaign of 1933 and since December 7, 1941—soldiers, sailors, marines and coast guard men with campaign ribbon service under the Stars and Stripes in World War II.

Section 10 of the VFW national by-laws provide that "whenever a state of war exists with any other government or governments, men in the military and naval service of the United States shall become eligible to active membership immediately upon arrival on hostile soil or in hostile waters." Under this provision men of the armed forces of the United States who were serving either afloat or ashore, outside the continental limits of the United States became eligible to membership in the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States immediately upon the declaration of war with Japan on December 8, 1941. No change was required in the VFW constitution or by-laws. Their eligibility had already been established by the far-sighted founders of the organization.

Now, men, all you have to do is to fill out an application, which you may secure from any member of the Hamlin post, and turn it in to any member and come to the next meeting. We meet every first and third Tuesday of every month. We want every man eligible living in Hamlin, and all of its surrounding communities anywhere, to join this post now. All men joining the first 90 days will have their names engraved upon the charter. If you are a temporary resident, we want your membership, for you can transfer to any other post at any time.

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First Winter Legumes Planted in Jones Area In 1945 Looking Good

The first winter legumes, so far as County Agricultural Agent H. C. Stanley has been able to determine, were planted in Jones County during the fall of 1945.

Starr Inzer, demonstrator for the Extension Service in the Hamlin community, inoculated and planted 40 acres of his poorest land in Austrian winter peas.

H. H. Rowland, progressive farmer in the Wilson community, has a demonstration consisting of 45 acres of Austrian winter peas.

Max King, Anson 4-H Club boy and winner of the 1945 County Achievement Award, has a demonstration consisting of five acres of hairy vetch and five acres of Austrian winter peas.

Neighboring farmers and business men of Hamlin, Stamford and Anson have already shown a great deal of interest in these demonstrations, Stanley reports.

Even though this has been a dry, cold winter, these legumes have shown more growth than winter wheat or oats. At present, the Austrian winter peas are approximately seven inches high. Vetch is approximately five inches above the ground. Each of these legumes has developed a good root system and have a lot of nodules on them.

These legumes have ample moisture at present and are really beginning to grow. In case the demonstrations continue to do well, a field day will be held some time in March or the first part of April.

Week-End Celebration Honors 82nd Birthday

Friends and neighbors from several points gathered over the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Cheshier, when Jeff's mother celebrated her eighty-second birthday.

Those who attended the informal celebration included:

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hinson and sons of Stamford, Sergeant and Mrs. Elvin Hinson, also of Stamford, Mrs. S. J. Doyle of Waco, Mrs. E. L. Doyle of Lubbock; W. J. Cheshier and family, Elton Cheshier and family of Rotan, and Mrs. Wafford of Stamford.

Hugh Trussell Named Teacher at Elementary

New teacher in Hamlin School is Hugh Trussell, who replaces Mrs. I. R. Huchingson.

Trussell, whose home town is Blum, was teaching at Sidney when he entered the army in 1943.

Trussell will teach in the upper grades of elementary school and will handle athletics for boys, elementary school, at the elementary building.

Recently discharged, Trussell saw considerable duty in the South Pacific.

JOE BOWEN, LONG-HAMLIN DRUGGIST, PASSES FEBRUARY 1

Joe Bowen, a former druggist of Hamlin, passed away at his home on Alamo Avenue, Friday, February 1, following ill health for more than two years.

Mr. Bowen was born in Louisiana July 7, 1866. In his early life, his parents moved to Arkansas where he grew to manhood, and in 1895 he came to Texas and settled at Desdemona, in Eastland County. There he engaged in the drug business till 1907 when he moved his family to Hamlin and started a drug business. Later he became the senior member of the Bowen-Dolman Drug Co., occupying for many years the building next door south of what is now the City Drug corner.

While in Eastland County, he was united in marriage to Miss Beulah Tidwell, and to this union were born three children, the youngest, Loveda Bowen, died in Hamlin in 1925, and the companion and mother passed away in 1929.

Survivors are two daughters, Mrs. Wallace V. Walton and Miss Nettie Bowen, of Hamlin; and a nephew, Claud E. Bowen, of Happy, Texas.

Mr. Bowen was a quiet Christian gentleman, a Presbyterian by faith.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church of Hamlin, on Saturday, February 2, with the Rev. J. Henry Littleton of Abilene, a former Eastland County neighbor of the family and a former pastor in Hamlin, in charge of the services, in the presence of a host of sympathizing friends and many tokens of love and esteem for the deceased and the bereaved ones.

Barrow Funeral Home had charge of burial arrangements, and the body was laid to rest in East Cemetery.

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Wm. B. Teague, District Clerk.

Lamar C. Bonds Gets Discharge From Navy

Lamar C. Bonds of Hamlin has just received his discharge from the Navy, according to advice from the Eighth Naval District branch office of public information at Dallas.

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"All Authority"

After his resurrection, Jesus said: "All authority hath been given unto me in heaven and on earth." (Matt. 28:18-20) A greater scope of authority cannot be contemplated than "all". Jesus has that authority now. Why, then, should men seek for any other authority in religion?

"Hear Ye Him"

Jesus was transfigured with Moses and Elijah, representatives of the Patriarchal and Mosaic dispensations. Peter proposed to build three tabernacles—one for Moses, one for Elijah, and one for the Lord. A "bright cloud overshadowed them," and a voice spoke and said: "This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased; hear ye him." (Matt. 17:5) When they lifted up their eyes, "they saw no one, save Jesus only." God had said: "Hear ye HIM!"

God Speaks Through His Son

"God, having of old time spoken unto the fathers in the prophets by divers portions and in divers manners, hath at the end of these days spoken unto us in his Son." There was a time when God spoke in different ways and places; but at the end of these days—at the end of the days of divers speakings—God has spoken unto us in his Son. This again emphasizes that God no longer speaks to us through Moses and the prophets, but only through his Son.

Christ Is Head of the Church

Christ's scope of authority is seen in that God has made him the universal head of the church. (Col. 1:18; Eph. 1:22, 23; 5:23) Since he has "all authority in heaven and on earth" (Matt. 28:18), it follows that he is head of the church in heaven and also head of the church on earth. He is the only head the church has by divine authority; any other head claimed for the church is without divine authority. As head of the church, he directs and guides it through his word in the New Testament, and no one else may assume such authority with divine approval.

Conclusions

There are many sources of authority in religion today. The above scriptures plainly teach that Jesus Christ is the only divinely constituted authority for us today. If men really want to go to heaven does it not seem reasonable that they would accept this truth? When this truth is accepted it means the end of all antiquated religion, of all corrupted religion, of all atheistic religion, of all false religion and the realization of the unity taught in the New Testament. (John 17:20-21; I Cor. 1:10; Eph. 4:1-6).

May I plead with you, my friends, to read, to study, and to obey the authority of our Lord and Master Jesus Christ which authority is revealed to us by his Spirit guided Apostles in the New Testament.

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Due to snow and ice the auction in McCauley was postponed Saturday until this coming Saturday, weather permitting.

A number of McCauley basketball players attended the tournament last weekend at Aspermont. The McCauley girls advanced to the semi-finals, being defeated by the Rule team. McCauley boys lost to Girard and Jayton. The McCauley girls played jam-up good ball but were by far the smallest girls' team at the tournament. In the first game McCauley girls played Jayton girls, Jayton winning by a score of 33 to 14. Although the Jayton girls were taller and shoulders taller than our girls, the home team gave them a run for the money, the first quarter ending with a score of 2 to 2. Our girls defeated a fast Hobbs team Saturday by a score of 14 to 9.

Let's get started on the McCauley gym. It's a doggone shame for McCauley kids to have to play on an out-door basketball court. Every place in the road, with the exception of the old home town, has a good gym. There are no finer kids anywhere than McCauley—good sports and good ball players. All they need is something to do something with. Action speaks louder

than words. Will the next generation have to do all the promoting?

"Big hearted" Alf Hemphill and this scribe went over to Aspermont last Friday to watch the ball games. All the kids like Alf, and he is a booster for the home team. Alf walks into a strange place all dressed up in that black serge suit, big black hat and tan boots; the folks are not long in finding out that McCauley is on the map. More power to you, Alf.

J. D. (Dave) Maberry is in the Rotan hospital. He was rushed to the hospital last week after suffering a sudden illness.

Copied from extra edition of the Aspermont Star: Coach Webb's McCauley girls have done some pretty good ball playing this season winning a large per cent of their games. They have gone to the finals in one tournament, and semi-finals in two. McCauley girls are good but handicapped by their size.

Bill Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jackson of McCauley, was rushed to a veterans hospital in Dallas last week in a serious condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin of Hamlin visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Martin, last Sunday.

The cow that "kicked" and broke Bert Mayo's leg has been sold to Le-

Roy Prather. LeRoy, big, stout and healthy, plans to man-handle the brute.

There is plenty of oil (flowing gold) in these parts but very little excitement, due to the fact that everybody is getting plenty to eat.

J. W. (Jim) Fancher sold a few cows and a span of black work horses last week to Hamlin buyers.

Jay Ruth Hendon, recently discharged from the Navy, has been employed by a Roby tailor shop. Mr. and Mrs. Hendon will make their home in Rotan for the present.

Ted Abbott has sold his house in town to Mr. Carlon who has been employed for last several months as carpenter in this community.

Walter Forbes, who was recently discharged from the Army, is now employed at a Roby service station. Bobbie George Maberry, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Maberry of this city, will leave the 19th for a U. S. Army induction center.

Louis Earl Madden, with the army in Japan, is expected to leave for the States some time this month. He will get a discharge after reaching the States.

Leo Masser, with the occupation forces in Germany, has been made a military police. His wife, the former Betty Jo Abbott, is employed as teacher in the McCauley schools.

We notice in the press where the hard surfaced road from Sylvester to the Roby-Anson highway has been approved in Austin. Work is to begin in the near future. What is holding up our road to Hamlin?

Cattle sales the last two weeks have slowed down to a snail's pace in Sweetwater and Abilene auction rings. The reason, perhaps, is the wheat and oats are now affording better pasture.

A community hospital for Jones, Stonewall and Fisher counties is of vital importance. McCauley folks should rush Bowen Pope with their fifty dollar checks and get in on the ground floor. You can't be sorry.

Calvin White, Nash Miers and other Fisher County Jersey cattle breeders are getting quite a "rep" for fancy priced milk cows. White recently sold a Jersey bull for \$10,000 to a New Jersey breeder. Four Fisher County men, including White and Miers, purchased a young bull just recently for \$4,000.00.

Luther Maberry has recently purchased a hundred head of Hereford calves from a Midland rancher. He

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is grazing them on the D. F. Maberry pasture south of McCauley.

Mrs. Lee Hendon has purchased the former home of the Stephenson family from her son, Jay Ruth Hendon and has sold her home to Roma Brown.

Rufus Herbst, McCauley rancher, is running a hundred head of mixed breed cattle on Johnson grass and wheat pastures south of McCauley.

W. C. (Bill) Kean is quite a Northern Star cotton raiser and has plenty of good second year seed for sale.

George Darden is dealing in good saddle horses and will buy, sell or trade.

Levi McCollum, McCauley's No. 1 insurance man, also deals in used cars and is a "booster" for more water for McCauley.

Coffee drinkers keep the counter lined at McCauley's only cafe. Mrs. J. W. Rush is the operator and says business is good.

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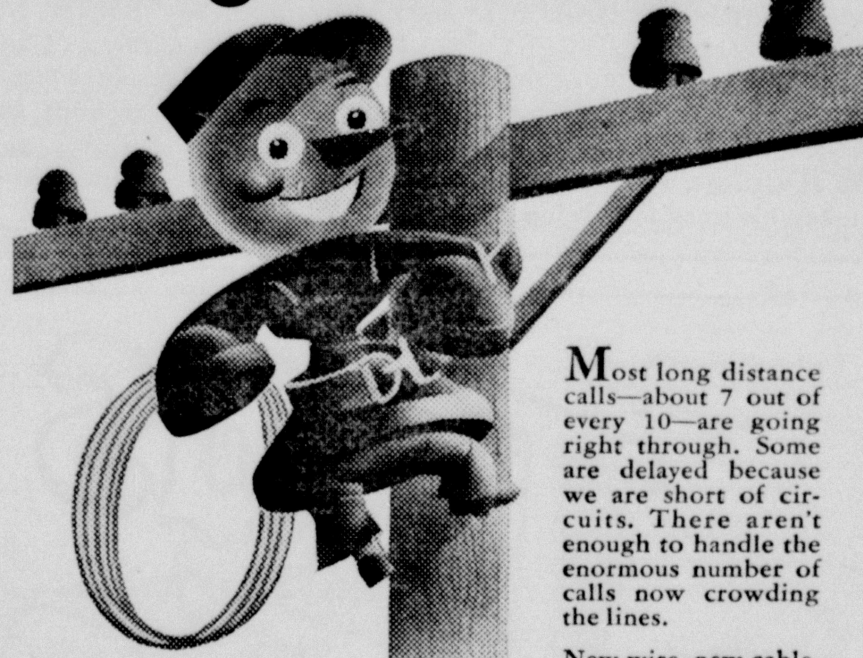
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FOR SALE OR TRADE—Almost new Yokum stock saddle.—John V. Howard at Model Grocery. 14-2p

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FINE OIC PIGS—Bred gilts, service boars; all white as snow and pretty as pictures.—Shanks Nursery Hog Farm, Clyde, Texas. 14-3p

FOR SALE—One-half mile northwest of Fairview Church, sweet sudan seed, \$15 per 100 pounds; free from Johnson grass; also used planter and breaking plow for Ford tractor, \$50 each.—O. L. Cooper, Route 1, Hamlin. 14-2p

FOR SALE—Good milk cow with young calf; OIC pigs; first-year Northern Star cottonseed.—J. E. Johnson, Route 1. 14-4p

FOR SALE—The trustees of the Carlton Common School District No. 53, Jones County, will receive sealed bids until Saturday, February 16, at 10:00 o'clock a. m. on the public school house which is located in the Carlton School District, seven miles southeast of Hamlin, Texas. Bids may be left at the county superintendent's office at Anson, Texas. The trustees reserve the right to reject any or all bids.—Trustees: F. W. Poe, O. D. Brown. 14-2p

SWEET SUDAN SEED, re-cleaned and tested.—Wilcox Feed Store, Green & Sneed Grocery or at my farm, 10 miles northeast of Hamlin.—E. C. Davis. 15-2p

TURKEY HENS for sale; bronze type.—Mrs. Terry Cooper, Route 2, Hamlin. 1p

FOR SALE—Large trailer with four wheels and also two-wheel trailer bed.—Mrs. Alpha E. King, Route 2, Hamlin. 15-2p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Phileo six-volt windcharger and RCA six-tube radio.—J. E. Abernathy, Route 1, Hamlin. 1p

FOR SALE—Two 16-inch standard Chevrolet wheels with or without tires and tubes; two new 17-inch mud grip tires; 1934 Ford radiator; McCormick-Deering cream separator in excellent condition.—Melvin Courtney, McCauley. 1p

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BIG SHIPMENT of all types of radio batteries just received at City Electric Service. 4-tfc

TRUCKING—Will appreciate your local hauling of any kind.—C. M. Arnold, phone 167. 15-4p

ANYONE having for sale new or used 24-inch balloon bicycle tires will please see Bill Milliorn, Terrell Foods or call 69. 1p

Real Estate for Sale

FOUR-ROOM HOUSE for sale in South Hamlin. For further information see John V. Walker. 14-4p

FOR SALE—Two-room cottage in good repair. See G. W. White, Sweetwater Schools. 15-2p

FOR SALE—Five-room house with bath, garage, on two lots; in central part of Hamlin; can vacate soon; price \$2,650.—Donald Berry, 400 Jackson Street. 1p

Wanted

WANTED—Agent for Franklin Life Insurance Company for Hamlin area; veteran preferred; salary and commission. Write Franklin Life Insurance Company, Pete Starnes, Regional Manager, 211 Texas Bank Bank Buildings, Sweetwater. 14-2c

HOUSEKEEPER wanted; cooking and general housework for three people; work light; permanent; good salary. Frank Maberry, Box 112, Roby. 15-2p

SALESMEN WANTED—Be independent; sell Rawleigh products; good nearby route open in Taylor County; 800 families; products sold 30 years. Write today to Rawleigh's Dept. TXB-333-DA, Memphis, Tennessee, or see Sam Howard, Route 3, Hamlin, Texas. 15-3p

Lost and Found

LOST—Gold rimmed glasses February 1 in Hamlin; in case. Return to Herald office.—Elmon Rogers, Hamlin, Route 3. 1p

LOST—Black-and-white spotted hound; lost at gravel pit north of Hamlin; tattooed H on right flank; answers to name Gyp. Reward.—J. M. Hooks, Abilene. Name on dog's collar. 15-2p

Miscellaneous

NEW WALL PAPER will add gaiety to your rooms. See the complete stock at Paul Bryan Lumber Company. 15-2c

FARM AND RANCH LOANS—\$162 each six months will retire a \$6,000 loan. You can pay full loan any time without paying bonus.—Jones County National Farm Loan Association, B. L. Jones, Secretary-Treasurer, Federal Land Bank loans, Anson. 14-2c

1000 PEACH TREES given away to first 1,000 customers visiting our nursery. We offer fine freshly dug pecan trees, apple trees, pears, peaches, plums, berries, grapes; also shrubs and evergreens.—Shanks Nurseries, one-half mile north of Clyde, Texas. 14-3p

THE HERALD has many new office supply items: Scotch tape in 25-cent rolls, special pencils of all kinds, showcard colors, pencil clips. When you need office supplies, see The Herald first! ttf

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank each of you who were with us in our recent sorrow and for kind deeds you did for us. Our prayer is that God will bless each of your homes.—Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Hunter and A. L. 1p

CARLOAD of dimension lumber will arrive in a few days at Paul Bryan Lumber Company. 1c

FOR SALE—Eight-piece dining room suite in walnut; triple mirror vanity dresser with chest of drawers to match; odd iron bedstead.—Art Carmichael. 1p

FOR SALE—18 or 20 feet feeder, 14 feet wide; wagon sheet; Maytag washer, 1936 model, like new; McCormick separator; lots of other tools.—Mrs. Bill Cooper, Route 2, near Mount Zion Church. 1p

FOR SALE—Registered Fox Terrier dog, one year old.—J. M. Humphries, McCauley. 1p

SADDLE HORSE for sale; cash or trade on cow or calf. Arthur Tom Carlton, 7 miles south of Hamlin. 1p

CHINESE CHOW, female dog for sale. See R. H. Cooley, 1 1/2 miles east of town. 1p

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Stonewall Agent Goes To Wichita Conference

Chester C. Walker, Stonewall County's new farm agent, attended a District 3 Extension Department meeting Monday and Tuesday at Wichita Falls, Aspermont friends report.

Walker went to Aspermont last October 1 to take the place of C. H. Bates, who was transferred to Decatur, Wise County. Bates served as Stonewall County agent two and one-half years.

Walker was assistant county agent at Graham when transferred to Aspermont. He is a graduate of Texas A & M College. Farmers and cattlemen say his work is showing up well.

Henry Lindsey on Way Home from Pacific Area

Technician Fifth Grade Henry Lindsey of Hamlin is one of 2,164 Army veterans returning to the States aboard the S. S. Sea Runner, which left Yokohama, Japan, January 20, and was scheduled to arrive in Seattle about February 2, according to the Public Information Office, Commander Service Force, United States Pacific Fleet.

The S. S. Sea Runner is one of the hundreds of ships of the Navy and Merchant Marine which accomplished the huge task of supplying the fleet, ground forces and land-based air power during the war in the Pacific.

Santa Fe Carloadings Up.

Santa Fe System carloadings for the week ending February 2, 1946, were 24,050 compared with 23,897 for the same week in 1945. Cars received from connections totaled 19,020 compared with 14,118 for the same week in 1945. Total cars moved were 34,070 compared with 38,016 for the same week in 1945. Santa Fe handled a total of 32,706 cars in the preceding week of this year.

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Official notice is extended to membership and all prospective members of the newly organized unit of the Veterans of Foreign Wars in

Hamlin area to meet over the city hall at 7:30 p. m. (19:30) every first and third Tuesday night. "Pass the word," VFW officials urge.

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Beef Liver	Fresh Sliced	Lb.	35¢

Hamburger	Fresh Ground	Lb.	25c	Fat Back	Dry Salt for Seasoning	Lb.	15¢
Beef Stew	Short Ribs	Lb.	18c	Brick Chili		1-Lb. Pkg.	35¢

Lunch Loaves	Assorted	Lb.	29¢
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Luncheon Meat	Spiced Vacuum Cooked	Lb.	48¢

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Beans	Van Camps, In Tomato Sauce	12-Oz. Can	9¢
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Mackerel		15-Oz. Can	14¢
Pinto Beans	Cello Pack	1-Lb. Pkg.	11¢
Pinto Beans	Cello Pack	3-Lb. Pkg.	28¢
Corn Meal	Mammy Lou	5-Lb. Bag	25¢
Crackers	Sunshine Krispies	1-Lb. Pkg.	19¢
Bread	Extra Tender	24-Oz. Loaf	13c
Coffee	Airway Fresh Roasted	2 1-Lb. Pkgs.	41¢
Coffee	Edwards, Rich, Robust	1-Lb. Jar	28¢
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